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INDICATES GERMAN PROPOSALS OF PEACE WILL BE REFL

and Unworthy of Serious Consideration -- Hollweg is Condemned.

ENGLAND URGED TO STATE HER CONDITIONS IN REPLY

Declared That Such a Statement Will Make the World Realize Teutonic Allies Are Responsible for Continned Warfare.

LONDON, Dec. 13 .- The United States is reliably informed that Lloyd George is preparing to answer Hollweg when he announces the government's policy in the House of Commons Tuesday.

(ED KEEN.)

LONDON, Dec. 13.-Newspaper omment and the public's utterances indicated that Britain will refuse the peace offer. The press and people expect Lloyd George to voice the nation's answer in addressing the House of Commons Tuesday. Germany's terms are called preposterous and unworthy of serious consideration.

reply. The Dally Mall said: "Hollweg is no more entitled to a reply than an armed burglar." The Manchester posts. The fighting is proceeding the counar and the Counary and th an armed burgiar." The Manchester posts. The fighting is proceeding the country auditor's office and asked Guardian suggested that Germany's north of Katernini, between the if it were too late to put him on the exact terms be ascertained. Many newspapers urged that Lloyd George clearly state Britain's peace terms. They declared such a statement would JORDAN ADVISES make the world realize Germany was responsible for the continued war-

urged the acceptance of Hollweg's of-fer. He declared the allies would infer. He declared the allies would in-cur an awful responsibility if they declined. He asks for a complete in-cautiously if he makes advances as a vestigation of German terms. Many result of Germany offer. He said: plomats dwellings. The state departbelieve the offer is merely a ruse to "I am jubilant over the glorious news, ment announced the action had produce dissention among the allies.

diplomatic circles expressed the belief materialize on account of a mistake." test. the allies will conditionally refuse and not flatly refuse, Germany's peace proposals. Officials declared a fiat refusal would be playing into Germany's hands. More aggressive, unrestricted submarining would certain.

One British official said he believes sterner measures against the Belgians would follow a flat refusal. The Germans would take the opportunity to carry out "the military policies neutral opinion has hitherto discounten-It is believed Lloyd George may evade a flat refusal, declaring that Britain cannot negotiate because the peace terms were not stated.

BONE DRY LAW IS TO BE PROPOSED

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 13.—A total prohibition law, forbidding entirely the importation and possession of intoicating liquor except for sacramental purposes and restricting the sale of alcohol, will be introduced at the sion of the state legislature in Jan-

Decision to present the measure was made by more than 100 prohibition workers from all parts of the state at a meeting held in the Young Men's Christian association building today under the auspices of the Anto-Saloon league of Washington.

The measure provides for abolition of the personal permit system which went into effect January 1, 1916, and of the druggists' permit system insofar as it affects any liquor except al-

The penalty for offenses against the proposed law are much severer than those provided under the present law. Conviction of a third violation of the proposed law by an offender would constitute a felony, with imprisonment in the penftentiary.

Joffre Appointed Councillor -

PARIS, Dec. 13 .- It is annour Premier Briand has appointed Joffre as councillor to the new war cabi The personnel is Briand, foreign affairs, Ribot, finaces, Lyautey, war, Lucaso, marine, and Thomas

POINDEXTER AMENDMENT LOSES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13 .- The sen-

Terms are Called Preposterous MAY WHEAT RUNS UP AT THE CLOSE

CHICAGO, Dec. 13 .- (Special to the East Oregonian)-Range of prices to-

\$1.56% \$1.56% \$1.50% \$1.54 May \$1.66 \$1.67% \$1.63% \$1.67% Portland

day: club, \$1.42; bluestem, \$1.45.

Liverpool. LIVERPOOL, Dec. 12.—Spot wheat New Zealand, 17s; No. 2 hard winter and baril, 16s 10d.

Greek Captain With Five Thousand Men Captures Katernini-Fighting killed Still in Progress.

BERLIN, via Sayville, Dec. 13,-The press bureau announced: It is uncertain whether the allies Greek captain has captured Kater-Greeks and French."

BANDITS TAKE PUEBLA NEAR **MEXICO CITY**

Another Attack on Chihuahua Appears Imminent -- Resi-

CHINESE TERROR STRICKEN

Juarez Swarming With Celestials Who Are Not Permitted to Cross Border

—Riot is Reported Among Mexican Government Soldiers.

JUAREZ, Dec. 13.-Foreigners as riving from the border declared Robles rebels had captured Puebla. hundred miles south of Mexico City. PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 13.—(Spe-cial)—Merchants Exchange bids to-feared.

Nearly all remaining Americans and foreigners are planning to flee Chihuahua. They will endeavor to steady, unchanged. No. 1 northern reach the border. Many foreigners Manitoba 17 s 9d (\$2.5s per bushel); intended to go to Chihuahua from Juarez this morning but a telegram declared the bandits had appeared near Callego and the trip was abandoned.

Chinese from every part of Chituahua are arriving at the border on every train. They are terrorized. The Chinese are swarming into Juarez. They are not permitted to cross the river. It is confirmedly reported that the Mexican government soldiers rioted over the possession of two carloads of foodstuffs in the Chihuahua railway yards. Forty eight rioters were

QUICK, DIOGENES! JEST LOOKOUT WHO'S HERE!

tax duplicate for \$800, which he said his wife forgot to list for taxation. He was accommodated.

GREAT CAUTION GREEK ROYALISTS FIRED UPON NEUTRALS HOMES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13 .- Official Starr Jordan, famous peace advocate. Greek royalists had fired upon neu-

STEAMSHIP CALEDONIA REPORTED SUNK

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.-The naval advisory board has recommended that Josephus Daniels establish a naval experiment laboratory at Annapolis. dents Fleeing City in Droves recommended a one and half million dollar appropriation. • Daniels is expected to accept. • • Edison heads the advisory •

for Past 18 Months, Drops Dead at German embassy stated Ger. George R. Sawyer, Resident of City His Home on Garden Street,

George R. Sawyer, for the past 15 months a resident of Pendieton, dropped dead at his home, 392 Garden street, about 11 o'clock this morning, death being ascribed to heart failure. He had not been feeling well for some time but yesterday resumed his position with the O.-W.

The terms proposed now are not the final, and the final on the grounds that Judge Parkes is comparison with the necessity of getting the belligerents into a the first opinion, the supremantal trial could not be had before him. Such prejudice the law makes as grounds for a change of the first opinion, the supremantal trial trial trial could not be had before him.

He had complained this morning or to basis will be fixed during the to not feeling well to his daughter but the was not thought he was seriously ill. About 11 o'clock his daughter found his lifeless body lying on the bed. A physician was hastily summoned but death had already been there first.

Mr. Sawyer was a civil engineer ccupation and for sixteen years had served as a county engineer in Washington, eight years in Lincoln county and eight years in Franklin. He reured from office holding in Pasco four years ao. He came to Pendieton about a year and a half ago and was employed for a time in the Woodaege employed for a time in the Wooda & Ardery plumbing establishment, later served as janitor of the new federal building and recently been with the O.W. R. & N. in the capacity of plumbing inspector.

Deceased is survived by a daughter, Miss Mary Sawyer of this city, three ons, Tom and Harry of Pasco and A. Sawyer of Spokane and a brother in SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—David state department dispatches said the Kallspell, Montana He was about 55

Germans Lose 3,921,859 Men. LONDON, Dec. 13.-It is announce

GERMAN OFFER IS CONSIDERED **MASTER MOVE**

American Embassy in Berlin Believes Germany Has Not Flatly Asked Peace But Merely Signified Willingness for Discussion.

RESPONSIBILITY ON ENTENTE

Newspapers Explain That Neutrals Are Not Mediators But Merely Messengers-If Refused Now Central Powers Will Not Offer Again,

· many is depending upon the

(Carl Ackerman.)

weg's efforts. It is uncertain wheth- against him."

that the Germans will clearly see ested. A certain time must elapse standpoint; and perhaps too dens if assured peace is impossible.

FORD APPLAUDS GERMANY'S OFFER

DETROIT, Dec. 13 .- Henry Ford said: "The world should applaud Germany's action. This is a logical time for a peace move. There is no possibility of either side winning the war. only hope Germany's proposals will be well received."

with Lansing briefly this morning and look men. be well received."

MEXICAN SEIZED FOR VIOLATION OF U. S. NEUTRALITY

HOUSTON, Dec. 13 .- The govern-HOUSTON, Dec. 12.—The government has charged R. Mier, a Meximent has charged R. Mier, a Mexime

TORPEDO BOAT SINKS OFF NOVA SCOTIA; ALL HANDS BELIEVED LOST

Supreme Court Also Declares No Facts to Prove Prejudice on Part of Justice Parkes Were Established in Suit of Mayor Best.

upholding Circuit Judge Phelps' re-George R. Sawyer, for the past 13 on neutrals to influence the allies of compel Justice of the Peace Parkes to nonths a resident of Pendleton, to accept her terms. It declared of grant Mayor Best a change of venue. compel Justice of the Peace Parkes to

> venue, but, in its opinion, the supreme court in substance holds that the pre judice must be clearly shown to exist. The only thing in the record be fore the court to show that Judge BERLIN, Dec. 12.—The American Parkes is prejudiced against Mayor mbassy believes Germany has not Best is the mayor's allegation that flatiy asked the neutrals to start peace negotiations, but merely requested that America, Spain and Switzerland informed the entente nations the cen. tral allies were willing to discuss legation were all that the law required peace. The diplomatic corps consid- it would be an easy thing for any ac-

"In the very nature of things," the Hollweg asked Grew to send it to called upon to determine his own bias London, Petrograd, Paris and Rou- on the one hand or his freedom from mania. He asked the Spanish em- partiality on the other. Before his bassador to communicate with Bel- decision can be disturbed by mandagium and Portugal. The Swiss am- mus, sufficient must appear the show-bassador communicates with Italy. ing made before him and reproduced The Tageblatt cautiously advised before the court issuing the writ that the public give the peace move the fullest support. The Voesische termine as a matter of law that the Christ in America commission says: Zeltung explained that the neutrals justice is indeed prejudiced within the are not mediators but merely messen- meaning and extent of the statute. To It is certain if the entente rejects the interested judgment of a litigant startling, because married life is sup-ON. Dec. 13.—It is announc-Germany's total losses at the November were 1921 859 not offer peace again. The public cer. The law does not vest in the aced that dermany's total losses at the roduce dissention among the ailies.

Wilson must move slowly in all deal— ed neutral diplomats to protest to end of November were 3,221,859.

It would be a terrible calaim- King Constantine. American Ministry if Germany's proposals failed to ter Droppers participated in the pro
WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—British ity if Germany's proposals failed to ter Droppers participated in the pro
wegg's speech. It will be believed the discretion of selecting the these cases the home has failed to wegg's speech. It will be believed the allies are undoubtedly fighting a war could enforce that as a principle if it said with all the emphasis possible. of conquest if they refuse the offer. Were sufficient for him barely to say that in the last analysis the home Berlin newspapers applaud Holl- that the judicial officer is prejudiced

case for the state.

HOUSE WILL NOT TAKE A

rope to take a hand in the Germany peace move. House spent last night at the White House. He conferred lation, light, space and general out-with Lansing briefly this morning and look. This condition must be met by

SAYS AGED HUSBAND

pers are on file in a separation suit sponsible brought by Mrs. Katherine Ellen against her husband, George, after they had fived together for over forty years. Among other allegations in the

Vessel Sends Wireless Reporting Bad Weather and Later Calls S. O. S .-- Goes Down in 2 Minutes.

SHIPS SEEK FOR WRECKAGE

OTTAWA, Dec. 13 .- The chief censor reported that the "minis er of naval service announces it is feared the Canadian torped boat Grilse, under command of Lieutenant Walter Wingate, off Nova Scotia, is lost with all hands," Fifty sailors were Brit-

The vessel left Halifax at three o clock December eleventh en route to Bermuda. Yesterday she sent a wireless message announcing bad weather, and saying she was returning to seek shelter at Shelbourne, Nova Scotia. Last night she sent a wiretin. Last night she sent a wireless S. O. S. stating her position. Two minutes later she wirelessed, "Now sinking."

No word has been received since. Orders were immediately given to all available lifeboats and vessels to proceed to her assistance. Wireless stations attempted to communicate other ships in that vicinity. Ves-sels are hunding wreckage, The lost officers included Lieu-

tenant Wingate, Licutement Fry, Licutement Winslow, Engineer Wilkinson and wireless Operators McClean and Clement.

MARRIED MEN ARE **BIGGER BOOZERS** THAN BACHELORS

"Married Men and the Saloon," the hold otherwise would be to substitute than single men. This is somewhat must be the best substitute for the saioon. It is very generally true that er the offer will be accepted. Editor | Copies of the opinion were received men do not do their part in making Theodore Wolf of the Tageblatt wrote this morning by the attorneys inter- the home it should be from the social their duty and bear their heavy bur- before a mandate is made during has been said about wives failing to which time the mayor has the privi- make themselves and their homes The Die Post warned the entente: lege of asking for a writ of review more attractive, thus 'driving their "If Germany's hand is refused, the In any event it is very probable that poor husbands to drink;" but the fact enemy will soon feel its fist." It was the trial of the mayor will not be set remains that a careful student of the suggested that Germany's peace offers for a date prior to Jan. 1 which means subject revealed that about twice as showed the neutrals their peace that R. I. Keator, the district attor- many married men go to the saloon as ney-elect, will probably handle the do single men. This may be due to the highed ideal@m of the younger men, and it may also be attributed to the fact that they spend a great deal HAND IN GERMAN PEACE MOVE | more time in the company of their sweethearts who naturally would not WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.-It is visit the saloon with them. Perhaps learned the administration does not no satisfactory solution may be found learned the administration does not intend to send Colonel House, President Wilson's personal adviser to Eu-ten until in some way it becomes possible to provide more cheerful homes for working people in point of ventimen and women of large social conceptions. It may be taken up by the municipality or the state somebody must do it, for it is unfair and short KEPT SHENT 3 YEARS sighted to charge up to married men CLARKSTON, Cel., Dec. 13.—Pa- for which they are only in part re-

> Want Laboratory at Annapolis. WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.-A sub-committee of the civilian naval con-

UNOFFICIAL PEACE TERMS OF ALLIES ASK INDEMNITIES AND

LONDON. Dec. 13 .- The United contract to the training to dispatch in marked contract to the Press this afternoon ascertained from Russia, indemnity ship for ship for terms a high German embassy offi-Press this afternoon ascertained from Russia, inactions, support terms a high tierman embasis offi-various unofficial peace sources the all destroyed vessels, and adequate cial outlined yesterday. The Gerallies peace terms. Although unofficial, the information is believed to for the German atrocities. All quarrepresent the concessions Germany ters emphasized that the only pos-must make to obtain peace. sible negotiable peace questions were of all boundaries except the satablish-The evacuation and restoration of the disposition of captured German ment of the independent kingdoms of



AS. CALEDONIA

LONDON, Dec. 13 .- The Anchof | ed that the vessel was sunk somewhere She was formerly in the passenger ate defeated the Poindexter amendinsent to the immigration bill excluding all Japanese including those admitted under the existing treatey, the
gentlemen's agreement.

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